# **Class 705 Template Checklist**

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# 1. REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

- ☐ Clear statement of Reasons for Allowance
- ☐ Indicate how claims distinguish over the closest prior art
- ☐ Claim groups of differing scope having a separate RFA

# Comments:

# 2. SEARCH AREAS AND TOOLS

- □ US Classified Search
- □ US Patents Text Search EAST/WEST and/or STN USPATFULL
- NPL Search − PTO NPL, Dialog, STN, etc.
- ☐ Internet Sites (optional)

#### Comments:

# 3. SEARCH QUERY

- ☐ Text Search Strategy to search concepts/key words
- Separate strategies for each search area (US, Foreign, NPL)
- Recordation of Search in file wrapper

# Comments:

# 4. REFERENCE CITATIONS

- Best art in each category (US, Foreign, NPL)
- ☐ Clear indication of why the reference was cited.

#### Comments: